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Report from Cienfuegos.

Acting Assistant Surgeon McMahon reports, February 17, as follows: During the week ended February 13, 1904, bills of health were issued to 2 vessels going to ports in the United States, both in good sanitary condition and no sickness on board.

Mortuary report for the city for the first ten days of February: Malaria, 1; tuberculosis, 4; tetanus, 2; pneumonia, 2; bronchitis, 3; meningitis, 1; other causes, 11. Total, 24.

Report from Habana—Death from yellow fever among crew of wrecked bark Eugen.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Echemendia reports, February 20, as follows: Week ended February 13, 1904:

Vessels inspected and issued bills of health	23
Crews of vessels, outgoing, inspected	961
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected	637
Pieces of freight passed.....	1,009

Since making the report of the cases of yellow fever on the wrecked Norwegian bark *Eugen*, another member of the crew has died of the disease, making a total of 6 deaths. The vessel originally had a crew of 13 men. I have also to report that Doctor Cespedes, the Cuban quarantine officer at Manzanillo, who was ordered to the key where the vessel was stranded to assist Doctor Giralt, returned to Manzanillo quite sick, and the case has been diagnosed pulmonary emphysema, although some albumin has been found in his urine. He is a Cuban by birth, and from what I can understand attended the university at Habana for some years.

Mortuary report of Habana for week ended February 13, 1904.

Disease.	Number of deaths.
Tuberculosis	17
Bronchitis.....	5
Pneumonia.....	4
Meningitis.....	13
Gangrene	5
Enteritis.....	4
Measles.....	2
Scarlet fever	2
Cancer.....	4
Leprosy	1
Tetanus	1

Total deaths from all causes, 104.

Report from Matanzas—Diphtheria and scarlet fever—Leprosy.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Nuñez reports, February 22, as follows:

During the week ended February 20, 1904, bills of health were issued to nine vessels leaving this port for the United States.

Two cases of leprosy coming from inland towns beyond this district, but within this province, have been reported during the past week. One of them was in a prisoner brought to this city and was detected